



Dear Colchester Residents, Friends & Guests:

I am happy to share with you the first edition of "Colchester, The Heart of Lake Champlain" the guide for residents and visitors to Vermont's fourth largest community. Whether you are a long-time resident or new to town, considering a move to our friendly community or just visiting, we hope that you find this guide informative.

Our community is endowed with a rich heritage and history, having just celebrated our 250th birthday with a full year of special events. Colchester's Town-sponsored events provide entertainment all year and include an annual Winter Carnival, Pond Hockey Tournament, Easter egg hunt, concerts at the park and 4th of July parade with fireworks at dusk.

Colchester residents thrive on outdoor activity and enjoy a diverse parks system. We bike and jog on recreational paths throughout the town and over the rail-to-trail Causeway that features a new, bigger seasonal bike ferry on Lake Champlain—the sixth largest fresh water lake in the United States. Colchester provides easy access to the lake with many marinas and activities for all ages, such as swimming, boating, kayaking and fishing. And the fun doesn't stop with the end of summer! Ice-boating, ice-skating and ice-fishing are all popular winter lake activities.

In addition, our community is home to some of the premier office parks in the State, as well as manufacturing and agricultural businesses that add to our town's vitality. We offer convenient shopping, fine restaurants, nationally ranked public schools, higher education at Saint Michael's College and the Albany College of Pharmacy—and much more!

So whether you are enjoying a day in town, on the lake or Causeway, or just a day at home in Colchester, we hope you will find this guide useful and will take advantage of all that Colchester has to offer.

Enjoy!

#### Nadine Scibek

Nadine Scibek Chair, Colchester Selectboard











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### Colchester, Vermont

Colchester is graced by its location along the eastern shore of Lake Champlain, the crown jewel of the northeastern United States. More than 118 miles long, Lake Champlain is a natural treasure that is full of history as well as opportunities for today's adventurers.

Our town boasts 27 miles of Lake Champlain shoreline; the lake is the focal point for the community. At the heart of this lake access is Malletts Bay, Vermont's Hidden Treasure, the most picturesque formation of the Lake Champlain Basin. It provides outdoor enthusiasts with year-round recreation opportunities. A natural harbor that is larger than most lakes in Vermont, Malletts Bay provides visitors with stunning views, wildlife habitat and great fishing.

Colchester offers a unique combination of suburban and rural living. Lovely residential neighborhoods mingle with prime agricultural properties. Essential services and amenities are scattered throughout in flourishing islands of commerce.

To our residents, our town is the hub of an extensive network of families, friends and businesses. To our guests, Colchester is a vibrant community with a broad spectrum of activities and services available for their enjoyment and convenience.

Only minutes away from Burlington, Colchester also provides easy access to Vermont's key metropolitan center.



The Baptist Church, built in 1861, is now the Town Meeting House on Main Street.

#### A Brief History of Colchester

Colchester is one of the oldest communities in the state, chartered on June 7, 1763. It was likely named after Colchester, England, which was the residence of a secretary of state during the reign of King George III.

Colchester has six distinct areas: Colchester Village, Clay Point, Malletts Bay, Fort Ethan Allen, Severance Corners, and Water Tower Hill. Winooski Falls, which at one time was part of Colchester, became the city of Winooski in 1922. Colchester Village was once the rural part of town with farmers, millers and tradesmen. Agriculture remains an important component of Colchester today. Business districts are located at Fort Ethan Allen and Malletts Bay, while a rapidly growing business and commercial center is at Exit 16 off I-89. Severance Corners, too, is expanding as our State designated Growth Center.

The need arose for a consistent vision for the Town's future and to determine how best to integrate Colchester into the evolving regional, national, and international economy. The Colchester Heritage Committee was formed in 2010 and in 2012 the Town undertook the development of a broad strategic plan: The Heritage Project. Its Vision: "Colchester, Vermont located on Lake Champlain's Malletts Bay is a diverse, civic-minded community endowed with a rich heritage of commercial, agricultural, recreational, and educational gifts. Proud of the quality of life already enjoyed here, the people of Colchester seek to build upon this foundation to ensure economic prosperity, recreational opportunity, and an entrepreneurial spirit for future generations."

Incorporating governance, infrastructure, economic development, tourism and recreation, environment and agriculture and education, the project became the foundation of the Colchester Town Plan. Under this plan and vision Colchester will continue to grow, evolve and prosper.

Colchester by

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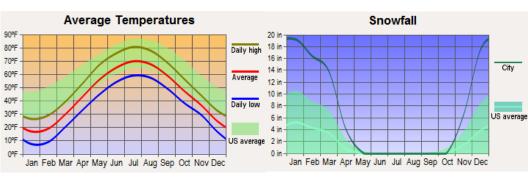
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the Numbers

Elevation: 180'

Zip code: 05446

#### Average Climate in Colchester, VT



#### **Population Statistics**

Total population as of 2010	17,067
Population density (people per squa	are mile) 463
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Males: 8,468	(49.6%)
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Females: 8,599	(50.4%)
Median resident age:	35.4 years
Vermont median age:	45.8 years
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#### **Median Income**

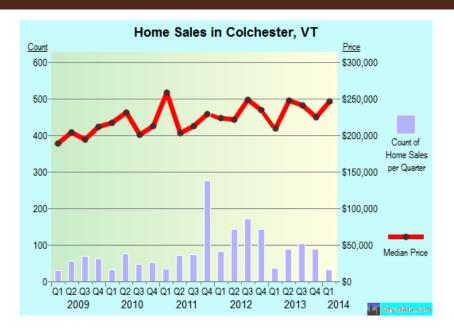
Colchester estimated median household income in 2012	\$68,704
Vermont median household income in 2012	\$52,977
Estimated per capita income in 2012	\$30,741

#### **Education and Employment**

For population 25 years and over in Colchester:

- ⇒ Graduate or professional degree...... 11.2%

#### Mean commute time to work: 19.7 minutes



#### Median real estate property taxes paid for housing units in 2000

 Colchester:
 2.0% (\$2,598)

 Vermont:
 2.0% (\$2,196)

Estimated median house | condo value in 2012: \$256,925 (\$131,300 in 2000)

#### Mean housing prices in 2011

All housing units	\$269,305
Detached houses	\$317,565
Townhouses or other attached units	\$209,386
In 2-unit structures	\$341,350
In 3 to 4 unit structures	\$193,377
In 5-or-more-unit structures	\$163,925
Mobile homes	\$59,418



### Welcome!

# Colchester Town Offices

871 Blakely Road P.O. Box 55 802.264.5500

#### Administration Office 802.264.5509

Dawn H. Francis | Town Manager Aaron Frank | Assistant Town Manager Chief Financial Officer

## Planning & Zoning Department 802.264.5606

Building permits | Sign permits Wastewater permits | Zoning questions Sarah Hadd | Director

#### Clerk's Office 802.264.5520

Marriage licenses | Passports Land Records | Taxes | Dog licenses Karen Richard | Town Clerk

#### Assessor's Office 802.264.5671

Property assessment | 911 addresses Robert Vickery | Assessor

#### Public Works Office 802.264.5620

Road maintenance | Drains & Sewers Snow plowing Bryan Osborne | Director

#### Parks and Recreation 802.264-5640

After-school programs | Summer camps Triathlon | Parks reservations Glen Cuttitta | Director

#### **Economic Development 802.264-5508**

Kathi Walker O'Reilly | Director

Rescue (non-emergency) 802.264.5590

Amy Akerlind | Rescue Chief

Police | Fire | Medical

Emergency - 911

Police Department | Animal Control

802.264.5556 (non-emergency)

Jennifer Morrison, Chief of Police

#### **OTHER TOWN SERVICES**

Fire District & Water #1

(Southeast Colchester)

802.654.2872

Fire District & Water #2

(Southwest Colchester)

802.654.4621

Fire District & Water #3

(Colchester Village)

802.878.4337

**Champlain Water District** 

802.864.7454

**Colchester Center Volunteer Fire** 

Company

802.878.8961

**Malletts Bay Fire Department** 

802.862.4415

# Burnham Memorial Library



The Burnham Memorial Library provides a wide range of resources. With a collection of 54,000 items, the library has something for everyone, including events and programs for all ages. We host a variety of events throughout the year, including the very popular annual book sale, seasonal Farmers' Market, Christmas tree lighting and more! Drop by and take a look or visit us on the web: www.colchestervt.gov/Library

#### **Ongoing programs**

Toddler Story Time – Tuesdays at 10:30 am

Drop-In Yoga – Tuesdays at 4:30 pm

Preschool Music - Wednesdays at 1:00 pm

Burnham Knitters & Needleworkers – Wednesdays at 6:00 pm

Saturday Drop-In Story Time – Saturdays at 10:00 am

Young Adult Advisory Board – 1st Monday at 5:30 pm

Write Now! (Teens) – 1st Monday at 6:30 pm

DCF Book Discussion (ages 8-11) – 1st Wednesday at 6:30 pm

Pajama Story Time – 3rd Wednesday at 6:30 pm

Intergenerational Dessert Book Discussion – Last Monday at 6:30 pm

Adult Book Discussion – Last Tuesday at 1:00 pm

Kelly Tomaseski | Director 898 Main St. | 802.264.5660 Library Hours : M & W 10-8 | Tu & Th 10-6 F 12-5 | Sa 9-3 | Su Closed

# Colchester Preschools Daycare Centers | Colchester Schools

Carolyn's Red Balloon Enrichment

**Program** 

42 Severance Green Ste. 101

802.878.5001

Diana's Day Care

324 South Bay Cr.

802.658.8358

**Dino Mite Day Care** 

818 Severance Rd.

802.879.3988

**Early Years Child** 

**Development Center** 

1795 Main St.

802.879.2811

**Future Einsteins** 

42 Severance Green

802.288.9035

**Little Tots Academy** 

65 Creek Farm Plaza

802.876.7317

**COLCHESTER SCHOOL DISTRICT** 

802.264.5983

**Superintendent** 802.264-5999

**Union Memorial School** 

253 Main St.

P.O. Box 48

802.264.5959

**Porters Point School** 

490 Porters Point Rd.

P.O. Box 32

802.264.5920

**Malletts Bay School** 

609 Blakely Rd.

P.O. Box 28

802.264.5900

Colchester Middle School

425 Blakely Rd.

802.264.5800

**Colchester High School** 

131 Laker Lane

802.264.5700

# Educational Organizations Colleges

# **Green Mountain Center for Gifted Education**

P.O. Box 568 802.658.9941

The Green Mountain Center for Gifted Education's mission is affirming, educating, and supporting gifted youth and their families. The organization was created in 2003 to promote personal growth in the intellectual, artistic, social, emotional, and creative development of Vermont's gifted and talented.

#### Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

123 Ethan Allen Ave. Dupont Hall #308-309 802.448.3464 info@vermontafterschool.org

Our mission is to: Support organizations in providing quality afterschool, summer, and expanded learning experiences so that Vermont's children and youth have the opportunities, skills, and resources they need to become healthy, productive members of society.

#### **Vermont Adult Learning**

Fort Ethan Allen 462 Hegeman Ave. 802.846.7245 www.vtadultlearning.org

#### Vermont Youth Orchestra Assoc.

223 Ethan Allen Ave. 802.655.5030

#### St. Michael's College

One Winooski Park 802.654.2000



St. Michael's College

# Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

261 Mountain View Drive 802.735.2601

# Fanny Allen Memorial School of Practical Nursing

29 Ethan Allen Ave. 802.655.2540

## Calendar of Town Events

#### JANUARY | FEBRUARY

- Ice skating & cross-country skiing at Airport Park (weather dependent)
- Annual Lake Champlain Pond Hockey Classic (Malletts Bay)
- Winter Carnival & Colchester's Got Talent Community Talent Show

Ice fishing on Lake Champlain.



#### MARCH | APRIL

Easter Egg Hunt at Bayside Park

#### MAY

Annual "Touch a Truck" event

- CHS Spring Drama Show, Art Show and Pops Concert
- Great Escape & Six Flags New England Tickets on sale at Parks & Rec
- "Move Your Can" 5K
- St. Michaels Playhouse summer season tickets on sale
- Green -Up Day
- Perennial Plant Swap at Burnham Library
- Rescue Fun & Safety Night

#### JUNE

- Annual Causeway 5K and 15K Race at Bayside Park
- Colchester Farmers Market in front of Burnham Library (through Sept.)
- Burnham Library Annual Book Sale
- Sam Mazza's Annual Strawberry Festival
- Lake Champlain Annual Fishing Derby, Sa-M Father's Day wk.end

#### JULY | AUGUST

- 4th of July Parade | Fireworks
- Annual Triathlon
- Summer Concert Series
- Welcome Baby Ice Cream Social

#### **OCTOBER**

- Pink Out the Park 5K Run/Walk
- Sam Mazza's Farmstand Annual Harvest Festival
- Annual Ski, Skate & Sporting Goods Sale at CHS

#### NOVEMBER

- CHS Fall Drama Production
- Letter from Santa (register in Nov.)

#### **DECEMBER**

- Crafts & Antiques Show at CHS
- Breakfast with Santa
- Christmas Tree Lighting, Town Green at the Library
- Community Chorus Christmas Concert, CHS
- Jubilee Winter Concert, CHS

#### YEAR ROUND

A.C.E. (Active, Creative, Enrichment) Before and After School Program For children in grades K-8. Call 802.264.5643 for more information.

LIFE—(see below)
Lifelong Learning Opportunities
802.264.5640





#### LIFE PROGRAM—Learning Is For Everyone

The LIFE program is a collaborative effort between Colchester Parks & Recreation and the Colchester School District that seeks to provide new educational opportunities for all ages, to attract local taxpayers to Colchester High School to to utilize their investment in Colchester Schools, and to motivate talent in Colchester to reinvent the identity and character of our town.

# **Parks & Natural Areas**



Whether you are seeking a playground for active children or quiet bird-watching in a preserved natural wetland, Colchester has many options for outdoor recreation.

#### **Neighborhood Parks**

- Heritage Park (1) is a 1-acre park off Main St., with tennis and basketball courts and a playground.
- Fort Ethan Allen Parade Grounds (2) between Route 15 and Dalton Drive offers a play-ground, tennis courts, soccer fields, walking trails and even cricket.
- <u>Bayside Park</u> (4) This 22-acre park located at the intersection of Malletts Bay Avenue & Lakeshore Drive has something for everyone, including ball fields, skateboard park, Activity Center, shuffleboard & tennis courts.
- <u>Bonanza Park</u> (5) off Heineberg Drive and <u>Valleyfield Park</u> (6) off Malletts Bay Avenue provide playgrounds and all-purpose fields.







#### **Natural Areas**

- <u>Sunny Hollow Natural Area</u> (3) is an 80 acre diverse area, featuring 3 miles of walking, mountain biking and x-country ski trails. You can access this site off Hercules Drive.
- The <u>Causeway Park & Recreation Path</u> (7) is part of the Lake Champlain Byway (www.lakechamplainbyway.com). This 4-mile gravel recreation path connects to the original Rutland Railroad bed and causeway across beautiful Lake Champlain. It is excellent for walking and biking, as well as providing access for fishing and seasonal duck hunting. The Island Line Bike Ferry operated by Local Motion (www.localmotion.org) boards from a dock on the Causeway and takes passengers and their bicycles to and from the Lake Champlain Islands. Parking available at Airport Park or Mills Point Rd. lot.
- <u>Law Island Natural Area</u> (8) West of the Causeway and off Colchester Point. Camping is permitted in this 8.5 acre Natural Area.
- <u>Porter Natural Area</u> (9) 56 acres off Mills Point Road that was donated to the Town in 1997. Duck hunting, walking, and bird-watching are permitted here.
- Rossetti Natural Area (11) contains 47 acres of preserved natural area between Lake Champlain and the Lakeshore Drive & Church Road intersection. It is an oasis of undeveloped shoreline and wetland habitat.
- McCrea Park (13) <u>Delta Park (14) Colchester Pond</u> (15) Together these cover an impressive 693 acres. The Winooski Valley Park District (www.wvpd.org) protects these natural areas along the Winooski River and Colchester Pond.
- <u>Colchester Bog</u> (10) Located at Airport Park, the bog is managed by The University of Vermont and provides a peaceful setting with an excellent wildlife habitat.
- <u>Airport Park</u> (12) A 64.5 acre park with jogging trails, sports fields, a picnic area, pavilion, volley ball courts and groomed x-country ski trails and lighted ice skating rink in the winter.
- <u>Niquette Bay State Park</u> (16), is a 553 acre park with 4700 feet of scenic rocky and sandy shoreline, it includes a beach, swimming, paddling and hiking trails.



# **Colchester Bike Paths**



Colchester has many paths that connect people to places without the use of a car. Commuters can get to Burlington via their bikes or take a lovely ride through our community. The Town of Colchester is extremely bike friendly and we boast some of the jewels of the Burlington-to-Lake Champlain Islands bike transportation network.

#### The Colchester Causeway

This four mile path starts at Airport Park and runs south to connect to the Burlington waterfront via the Burlington/Colchester Bridge. If you head North along the bike path, you are on the old railroad bed over Lake Champlain, constructed by the Rutland Railroad in the 1900's. You can learn more about bicycling in the entire lake region at www.champlainbikeways.org

#### **Island Line Bike Ferry**

During the warm weather months, the bike ferry operated by *Local Motion* (www.localmotion.com) will take you to the Lake Champlain Islands. This historic, scenic and fun ride provides riders with stunning views of the Green Mountains and the Adirondacks. Parking is available at Airport Park or the Mills Point Rd. lot.

Weekends & holidays: May 24—June 8; Daily Service: June 14-Sept. 1 Weekends & holidays Sept. 6—Oct. 13. Hours 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

#### The Colchester Recreation Path

The path starts at the beautiful Bayside Park and travels off road, meanders through wooded areas and connects many Colchester neighborhoods with the final destination at the Creek Farm neighborhood. The total length of this handicap accessible paved path is approximately 3.2 miles and the gradient is very gradual.

#### **Lake Champlain Byway**

Colchester is a member community of the Lake Champlain Byway, a Scenic Byway designated by the State of Vermont. From north to south, the formal route is 134 miles (215 km) and consists of US Route 2 through the Champlain Islands, US Route 7 through Milton, Colchester, Winooski, Burlington and several surrounding towns, then south to Addison County. The Byway was designated for its unique collection of intrinsic assets. Learn more at www.lakechamplainbyway.com.

# **Quick Guide** to Colchester Marinas & Lake Access

(formerly Malletts Bay Marina) 278 West Lakeshore Drive 802.862.4072

## 802.658.4034 **Coates Island Marina**

982 West Lakeshore Drive

**Champlain Marina** 

**Bay Harbor Marina** 

824 West Lakeshore Drive 802.863.2300

### 1378 Marble Island Road 802.862.6804

Marina at Marble Island

**Moorings Marina** 332 West Lakeshore Drive 802.862.1407

### **Bayside Park/ Beach**

Lifeguard on Duty 34 Blakely Road

### **International Sailing School**

511 West Lakeshore Drive 802.864.9065 sailfast@together.net

### **Victory Sports Dive Center**

165 Heineberg Dr.

802.862.0963



# Sports, Fitness, Fun!

YOUTH SPORTS CLUBS

Colchester Youth Baseball & Softball League

www.leaguelineup.com

**Colchester Youth Basketball League** 

www.colchestervt.gov/Recreation/ CYBL.html

**Colchester Catamounts Youth** 

Football www.colchestercatamounts.com

**Colchester Youth Soccer** 

www.colchestersoccer.com

**FITNESS CENTERS** 

Rehab Gym

905 Roosevelt Highway, Ste. 110 802.735.4338

Jazzercise Colchester **Fitness Center** 

69 Creek Farm Road, Ste. 2 802.951.1133

**Colchester Health & Fitness** 278 Prim Road

802.878.1010

Studio 3 Dance & Fitness 65 Creek Farm Rd. 802.782.5163

Dion's Taekwon-Do

16-1/2 Prim Rd. 802.860.6312

**Vermont Dance Academy** 47 Commerce St.

802.448.2168

**HORSEBACK RIDING LESSONS | CAMPS** 

**Birch Ledge Farm** 1980 East Rd.

802.879.7258

Sprucewood Farm 193 Poor Farm Rd. 802.598.1112

**Farmhouse Center** 775 Poor Farm Rd. 802.872.8712

**Enniskerry Farm** 848 Middle Rd.

802.872.9992 **Meadow Run Equestrian Center** 

906 Middle Rd. 802.879.1124

**Brown Ledge Camp** 71 Brown Ledge Rd. 802.862.2442

#### Colchester Has It All

If cultural pursuits are your style, award-winning community groups and St. Michael's Playhouse feature musical entertainment and theater productions for your enjoyment.

Saint Michael's Play House, has been named "One of the best regional theater companies in America" by the NYC Drama League and hailed by Yankee magazine as "The Best of New England."

From its humble beginning in 1947, Saint Michael's Playhouse has blossomed into an award-winning, highly regarded theater company. The Playhouse features talent from Broadway, Off-Broadway and regional theaters nationwide. Housed in one of the finest theater facilities in the state, it attracts approximately 16,000 theatergoers each season. The Playhouse's nationally recognized internship program has been the springboard for countless successful careers in professional theater.

Contact the box office at 802.654.2281 or visit www.academics.smcvt.edu/playhouse/

In addition, Colchester has its own community choral group, the **Colchester Community Chorus.** You can visit them online:

https://www.facebook.com/ ColchesterCommunityChorus







PERFORMANCES ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

GODSPELL-2012 REVISED VERSION is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatter International (MTI), All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI - 421 West 34th Street, New York, NY, 10019. Phone 212-541-4684 Fasik 212-397-4684. www.MTIShwax.com



Questions? Contact Cathy Hurst churst@smcvt.edu





# THERE ARE 338 DRIVE-IN THEATERS LEFT IN AMERICA

Visit the *Sunset* Drive-In Theater in Colchester!



#### OTHER ACTIVITIES | ENTERTAINMENT

#### **American Legion Post 91**

3650 Roosevelt Hwy 802.872.7622

# Boat Rentals at Malletts Bay Marina

802.862.4072

#### **Colchester Paintball**

1751 East Road 802.878.2905

#### **Funny Business Entertainment**

802.879.0997 | 802.734.0223 Joeyfunbiz.com

#### **Green Mountain Curling Club**

503B Dalton Ave. 802.985.2861

#### **Groennfell Meadery**

856 Hercules Dr. #20 802.497.2345 Thurs. 2-6p, Fri 2-7p, Sat. 10a-5p

#### Hillis's Sugarbush Farm & Vineyard

206 Sugarbush Farm Rd. 802.893.2928

#### **Notch Above Tours**

824 West Lakeshore Dr. # 3 802.881.0661

#### **Spare Time Bowling**

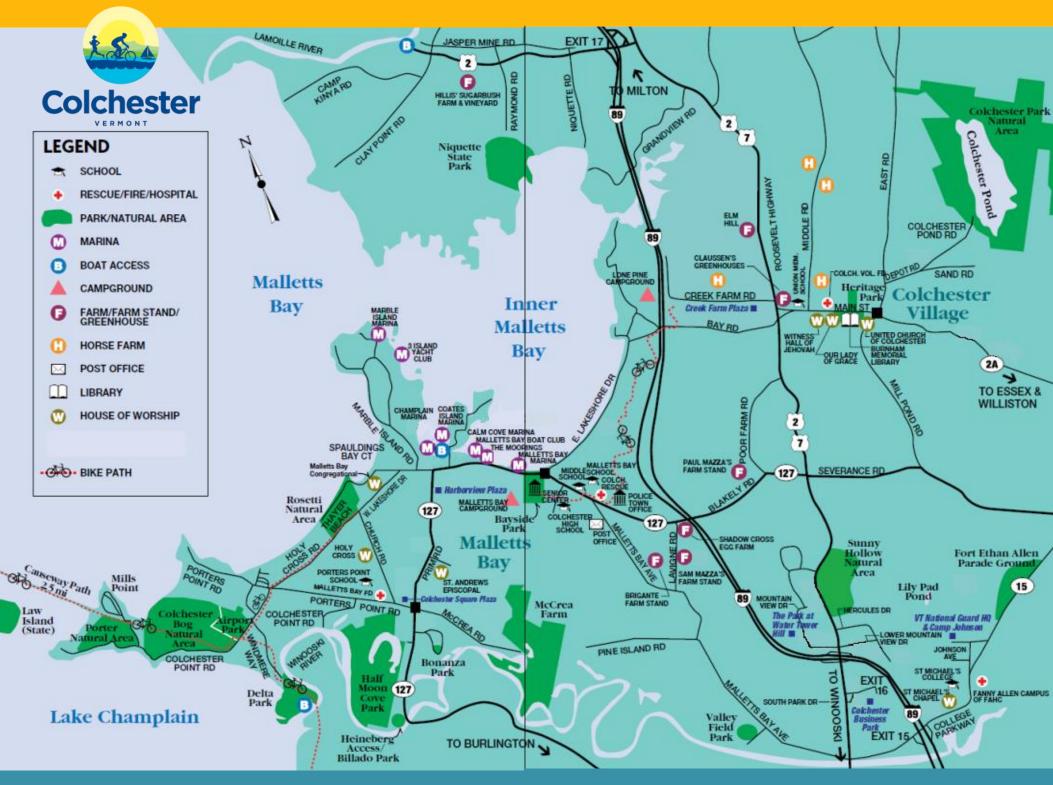
215 Lower Mountain View Dr. 802.655.2720

#### Sunset Drive In

155 Porters Point Rd. 802.862.1800

#### **Vermont Sports Car | Tours for groups**

382 Hercules Dr. #4 802.655.3354



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# Pharmacies

# Groceries

Community Health Pharmacy 158 Brentwood Drive

802.893.1120

802.655.3156

Costco Pharmacy

802.655.0187

218 Lower Mountain View Drive

**CVS Pharmacy** 69 Mountain View Drive

**FAHC- Pharmacy Services Fanny Allen Campus** 

792 College Parkway 802.847.7461

**Rite Aid Pharmacy** 1184 Prim Road #2

802.863.2048 Shaws/Osco Pharmacy 66 Mountain View Drive

802.655.2536

**Costco Wholesale** 218 Lower Mountain View Drive 802.318.2000

**Brigante's Farm Stand** 682 Malletts Bay Ave.

Dick Mazza's General Store 777 West Lakeshore Dr. (802) 862-4065 Paul Mazza's Farm & CSA (seasonal)

135 Poor Farm Rd.

802.879.0102 **Price Chopper** 1184 Prim Rd. 802.651.9409

Sam Mazza's Farm Market (year round) 277 Lavigne Rd. 802.655.3440 Shaw's 66 Mountain View Dr.

802.654.7803 Schwann's Home Service 30 Jimmo Dr. 802.893.0189

#### Colchester Services Shopping

CLOTHING

**Danform Shoes** 

104 Heineberg Drive

802.863.2653

**Dollar General (variety)** 

1032 Prim Rd. | 63 Creek Farm Plaza #2 802.660.0850 | 802.878.6775

JoAnne's Uniform Shop 794 West Lakeshore Dr. #5

802.862-0290

**Vermont Sports Embroidery** 

34 Princess Ann Dr. 802.863.0237

**FURNITURE | FURNISHINGS** 

**Sunny Laurel Sisters Quilt Store** 

73 Prim Rd. Th-F 5-9 p.m. Sat 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sun 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

www.sunnylaurelsisters.com

Walsh Electric | The Lighting Center 30 Champlain Dr.

802.655.7090

Wendell's Furniture 697 Hercules Dr. 802.861.7700

Willy D's Furniture 208 South Oak Circle

802.655.7791

1865 Main St. 802.879.7695

**Vermont Pellet Stoves** 

**HARDWARE** Lakeshore Ace

Hardware & Marine 713 West Lakeshore Dr.

802.863.4910 **MOVING & STORAGE** 

359 Jasper Mine Rd. 802.893.1234 **Bekins** 

41 Jasper Mine Rd. 800.639.6683

**Graham Moving & Storage** 

**Action Moving & Storage** 

802.893.8383

63 Brentwood Dr.

Just Move It VT 3619 Roosevelt Hwy 802.310.9717

DRY CLEANERS	Orbit Hair Design
	127 Porters Point Rd.
Gadue's Dry Cleaning	802.497.1002
63 Creek Farm Rd.	Darman Wa Aa Vari Liba II. Hain Daria
802.879.3144	Raymond's As You Like It Hair Design
	119 Belair Dr. 802.862.8636
New York Dry Cleaning and Tailoring	002.002.8030
110 Heineberg Dr.	Salon 540
802.864.4167	540 Bonanza Park
	802.863.4242
Duraclean (Carpets & Upholstery)	333332.12
631 Creek Farm Rd.	NAIL   TANNING SALONS
802.872.0890	•
	Northern Lights Sunless Tanning
HAIR SALONS	75 Waybury Rd.
	802.238.3011
Hair For You by Max and Co.	
78 Severance Green, #107	Orchid Nails
802.876.7761	197 Bissette Dr.
	802.859.9335
Haircuts for Men	TOT Colon and Coo
65 Creek Farm Plaza #5	<b>T&amp;T Salon and Spa</b> 73 Prim Rd.
802.879.9599	802.860.7160
	002.000.7100
International Hair Salon	Vina Nail Salon
49 Heineberg Dr.	65 Creek Farm Rd.
802.864.4271	802.662.7870
Lakeshore Hair	FLORISTS

802.862.3007

**New Image Salon** 

548 Church Rd. 802.864.4307

760 West Lakeshore Dr. #2

FLORISTS

A Flower a Day

203 West Lakeshore 802.863.8343

Claussen's Florist & Greenhouse

187 Main Street 802.878-2361 25

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

#### **Burlington Stagecoach Ltd**

135 Waverly Cr. 802.598.4002

#### CCTA

(Chittenden County Transporation

#### **Authority)**

cctaride.org 802.864.2282

#### SSTA (Special Services

Transportation Agency)

802.878.1527

#### **CARWASHES**

#### **Checkerbay Carwash**

38 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.0077

#### **Seaway Carwash**

142 Heineberg Dr. 802.864.6895

#### AUTOMOTIVE | SERVICE

#### **Caron's Colchester Autobody**

2363 Main St.

879-4768

#### **Donley's Underwater Salvage**

698 Prim Rd.

802.862.6134

#### **Hoffmann's Automotive**

26 Billado Ct., #2 802.863.8616

#### **MasterTech Automotives**

65 Elm Ct. 802.652.9991

Mike's Auto Parts

#### ivilke's Auto Parts

794 West Lakeshore Dr. Ste 2 802.862.7033

#### **Partner Tire & Service**

69 Creek Farm Plaza Ste 1 802.878.6731

#### **Vermont Sports Car**

(Parts and Rally Prep) 382 Hercules Dr. Ste 4 802.655.3533

#### **AUTO DEALERS**

#### Couillard's Auto

405 Prim Rd. 802.864.9762

#### Sonya's Fine Cars at Countryside

5460 Roosevelt Hwy 802.878.3806

#### **Duncan Auto**

574 Prim Rd. 802.864.9433

ELECTRICIANS	Freddie's Lawn Care & Snowplowing 1861 Malletts Bay Ave.
Advantage Electric	802. 655.9088
1951 Blakely Rd.	
802.316.0152	Glass Solutions
	70 Roosevelt Hwy #3
Donald Schroeder, Master Electrician	802.881.0316
825 Poor Farm Rd.	loo's Wolding
802.879.4860	Joe's Welding 810 Prim Rd.
E.O. C. Electric Commence	802.658.6407
E & S Electric Company 1016 Main St.	002.030.0407
802.625.0409	Lakeside Snow Removal
802.023.0403	148 Tanglewood Dr.
Hammond Electric	802.316.6658
342 Main St.	
888.852.7165	Magic Wand Cleaning Service
	45 Deer Lane
HOME MAINTENANCE	802.879.3013
Allstate Home Inspection &	Mikel's Truly Professional Cleaning
Environmental Household Testing	314 Red Oak Dr.
61 South Oak Circle	800.338.8003
802.655.1600	
	VT Energy Coop
Black Beauty Driveway Sealing	73 Prim Rd.
60 Mercier Dr.	802.860.4090
802.860.7113	White's Sewer & Drain Service
	899 Bay Rd.
Boisvert Handyman Services	802.879.6371
62 Woodland Shores Dr. 802.363.6229	002.07 3.037 1
002.303.0223	BANKS
Champlain Painting	
1119 Colchester Point Rd.	Citizens Bank
802.863.5440	73 Prim Rd. #7
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**Chuck's Heating & Air Conditioning** 

416 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.1489 802.860.1175

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419 Main St.

802.310.2569

802.238.3011

366 Troy Ave.

802.655.1886

1610 Troy Ave.

802.399.5400

94 Billado Ct.

802.862.4605

566 Hercules Dr.

802.862.3000

**Chamberlain Photography** 

**Egan Media Productions** 

**Humble Screen Printing** 

Vital Signs & Screenprinting

**Vermont Trophy & Engraving** 

SCREEN PRINTING | ENGRAVING

66 Mountain View Dr. #2

802.654.9120

CONSULTING ENGINEERS **Champlain Consulting Engineers** 

85 Prim Rd. #301 802.863.8060

**Hardy Structural Engineering** 875 Roosevelt Hwy #130 802.655.07855

**Krebs & Lansing Consulting Engineers** 164 Main St. #201 802.878.0375

LANDSCAPING

**Boulder Designs** 184 Marble Island Rd. 802.660.0611

**Lund Landscape Services** 794 West Lakeshore Dr. 802.879.1353

802.343.2303

**Heritage Tree Care** 

2864 Malletts Bay Ave.

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# Organizations

# Houses of Worship

#### **Champlain Housing Trust**

7 Douglas Dr. 802.655.5250 www.champlainhousingtrust.org

# Colchester Community Development Corporation

382 Hercules Dr. #6 802.343.4628

#### **Colchester Lions Club**

Meets 3rd Wed. 6:30 p.m. Bayside Activity Center 802.881.8919

#### Colchester/Milton Rotary Club

Meets every Thurs. at noon Hampton Inn at Exit 16 off I89 info@cmrotary.org

# International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers | LOCAL 2326

AFL CIO COMMUNICATIONS

948 Hercules Dr. #16 802.654.7209

# Lake Champlain Regional Chamber of Commerce

60 Main St. #100 Burlington, VT 05401 802.863.3489

#### Women In Medicine (non profit)

(MDs only) P.O. Box 107

www.womeninmedicine.org

#### **Daybreak Community Church**

67 Creek Farm Plaza #2 802.338.9118

#### **Holy Cross Parish**

416 Church Rd. 802.863.3002

#### **Islamic Society of Vermont**

182 Hegeman Ave. #1 802.655.6711

#### Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses

610 Main St. 802.879.7232

#### **Malletts Bay Congregational Church**

1672 West Lakeshore Dr. 802.658.9155

#### **Our Lady of Grace Parish**

784 Main St. 802.878.5987

#### St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

1063 Prim Rd. 802.658.0533

#### **United Church of Colchester**

900 Main St. 802.879.5442

### Pets | Veterinarians | Groomers | Boarding

#### Cat Spay/Neuter Clinic 3619 Roosevelt Highway

802.878.2230

#### **Malletts Bay Veterinary Hospital**

105 West Lakeshore Drive 802.862.2472

#### **Fitzgerald Veterinary Hospital**

220 South Park Drive 802.654-6800

#### **Petit Brook Veterinary Clinic**

5744 Roosevelt Highway Colchester 802.878.3713

#### **Vermont Veterinary Surgical Center**

35 Clay Point Road 802.893.8333

#### **DOG | CAT GROOMERS**

#### **Doggie Styles**

925 Roosevelt Highway 802.654.7387





#### It's Raining Cats and Dogs Grooming

237 Shady Lane 802.859.0800

#### A Passion for Pets

110 Heineberg Drive 802.863-0012

#### Pet Spa & Grooming

142 Hegeman Avenue Fort Ethan Allen 802. 655.2922

#### **BOARDING | DOGGIE DAYCARE**

Lucky Puppies Dog Daycare & Boarding 852 Mill Pond Road

802.878.9285

Sleepy Dog Kennel Daycare & Boarding 5914 Roosevelt Highway 802,922,6984

## **Emergency Care | Primary Care | Specialists**

**Green Mountain Acupuncture** 

905 Roosevelt Hwv #250B

**Urgent Care Center—FAHC** 

**Colchester Family Eye Care** 

218 Lower Mountain View Dr.

311 Heineberg Dr.

802.658.6740

**Costco Optical** 

802.655.3520

Main Level Fanny Allen Campus

Iviaili Level Tallily Alleli Callipus	303 NOUSEVEIL HWY #230B
790 College Parkway	802.876.5005
802.847.1170   Fax 802.847.7559	
Mon Thurs. 8 AM -8 PM	Mountain View Surgery
Fri Sun. 9 AM- 8 PM	308 Blakely Rd.
	802.658.5600
PRIMARY CARE	
	Dr. Marc Sarnow, Podiatrist
Colchester Family Practice (FAHC)	463 Mountain View Dr.
883 Blakely Rd.	802.655.2900
802. 847.2055	
Dr. Rebecca Collman (Pediatrics)	Ten Moons Doula Care
164 Main St. #202	525 Hercules Dr.
802.878.7844	802.343.1003
Dr. Carol. J. Gardner, DO	Vermont Center for Cancer Medicine
Dr. Tina D'Amato, DO	792 College Pkwy #207
905 Roosevelt Hwy #210	802.655.3400
802.879.6544	Vermont Gastroenterology
	875 Roosevelt Ave. #132
SPECIALISTS	802.864.7483
Adirondock Audiology	002.00 1.7 103
Adirondack Audiology 356 Mountain View Dr. #101	Vermont Interventional Spine Center
802.378.4055	356 Mountain View Dr. #200
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802.655.9798

1110 Prim Rd.

**Visiting Nurse Association** 

Colchester, VT 05446 | 802.658.1900

### Dentistry | Chiropractic

#### **DENTISTS**

#### **Alpine Family Dental**

875 Roosevelt Hwy 802.862.5052

#### Dr. Anna Bolanis Family Dentistry

760 W Lakeshore Dr. 802.862.9282

#### **Colchester Dental Group & Aesthetic**

#### Center | Palm Dental Group

106 High Point Center, #100 802,655,5308

#### Liscio Dental

369 Heineberg Dr.

#### 802.658.4873

#### **Maple Leaf Orthodontics**

354 Mountain View Dr. 802.658.4447

Dr. William Mooney Family Dentistry 416 Roosevelt Hwy

802.655.4614

#### **Sunny Hollow Dental**

905 Roosevelt Hwy #230

802.655.5305

#### **Vermont Oral Surgery**

792 College Pkwy #307 802.655.5090

#### **CHIROPRACTORS**

#### **Advanced Spine Disc Joint Center**

150 Water Tower Circle #203 802.655.2664

#### **Catamount Chiropractic**

905 Roosevelt Hwy #110 802.735.4338

#### **Champlain Chiropractic Services**

2031 Roosevelt Hwy 802.878.2191

**Family First Chiropractic** 

525 Hercules Dr. #1B 802.860.0382

#### **Helpful Healing Chiropractic**

1098 West Lakeshore Dr. 802.734.4270

#### **Malletts Bay Chiropractic**

500 Heineberg Dr. 802.865.2255







# Accommodations MOTELS

#### **Days Inn**

124 College Pkwy 802.655.0900

#### **Hampton Inn**

42 Lower Mountain View Dr. 802.655.6177

#### **Handy's Extended Stay Suites**

66 College Pkwy 802.655.6000

#### Motel 6

74 South Park Dr. 802.654.6860

#### **Quality Inn**

84 South Park Dr. 802.655.1400

#### **Residence Inn by Marriott**

71 Rathe Rd. 802.655.3100

#### Starlight Inn

179 Porters Point Rd. 802.652.2000

#### CAMPING

#### Lone Pine Campground

52 Sunset View Rd. 802.878.5447

#### **Malletts Bay Campground**

88 Malletts Bay Campground Rd. 802.863.6980

#### SIT-DOWN DINING

#### **The Athens Diner**

46 High Point Center 802.655.3455

#### **Bayview Eats**

9 Blakely Rd. (802) 652-2444

#### **BEVO Catering & Event Space**

70 Roosevelt Hwy (802) 448-3230

#### **BU Emporium**

164 Porters Point Rd. 802.658.4292

#### **Chopstick House II** 127 Porters Point Rd.

802.862.3600

#### **Clover House**

471 Church Rd.

802.860.3631

#### The Guilty Plate

164 Porter's Point Rd. 802.399.2011

#### Junior's Italian

85 South Park Dr.

802.655.5555

### Lighthouse

Seafood & Grill

38 Lower Mountain View Dr. 802.448.3361

#### McGillicuddy's on the Green

18 Severance Green 802.871.5480

#### The Penalty Box

127 Porter Point Rd.

802.272.0715

#### Rozzi's Lakeshore Tavern & Restaurant

1072 West Lakeshore Dr.

802.863.2342

#### The Spanked Puppy

116 Main St.

802.878.6440

#### **Spare Time Colchester &**

**City Sports Grille** 

215 Lower Mountain View Dr. 802.655.2720

#### **Yummy Chinese**

Restaurant 88 Heineberg Dr.

802.860.2828

#### PIZZA

#### Three Brothers Pizza and Grill

973 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.5550

#### Zachary's Pizza

133 Heineberg Dr. 802.862.7900

#### New York Pizza Oven

794 W Lakeshore Dr. 802.658.0925

#### Pizza Hut

49 Heineberg Dr. #3 802.860.7272







#### TAKE OUT | FAST FOOD

#### **Bayside Bakery & Coffee Bar**

824 West Lakeshore Dr. 802.862.3318

#### **Bayside Triple M Deli**

88 Heineberg Dr. 802.651.1009 Deli Open Summer Only

#### **Brigante's Snack Bar**

300 Malletts Bay Ave. 802.655.3366

#### **Burger King**

33 S Park Dr. 802.655.6187

#### **Dunkin Donuts**

156 College Pkwy 802.655.6197

156 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.3000

25 Macrae Rd. 802.399.2275

#### Finelli's Colchester Variety

3436 Roosevelt Hwy 802.288.8232

#### **Hoagie Hut**

164 Porters Point Rd. 802.863.6655

#### **Kevin's Kwik Stop**

506 Porters Point Rd. 802.865.0160

#### McDonald's

44 S Park Dr. | 79 Heineberg Dr. 802.655.7747 | 802.863.9707

#### Subway

133 Blakely Rd. 802.660.8005

#### **Sunny Hollow Quick Stop**

973 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.2882

#### Maplefield's | Amato's Express

414 Roosevelt Hwy 802.654.8087

77 Rte. 7 802 .893.6834

#### The Village Scoop

419 Main St. 802.999.6962

### Real Estate & Related Insurance Agencies

#### The Condo Guy

875 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.9100

#### **Gracey Conroy Realty Group**

463 Mountain View Dr. 802.655-3333

#### Gregory P. Clairmont Assoc. & Real Estate Inc.

604 Creek Farm Rd 802.878.5699

#### Keller Williams

302 Mountain View Dr. 802.654.8500

#### Marcou Real Estate

838 Jasper Mine Rd. 802.238.8387

#### R & F Damon Realty

82 Farnsworth Rd. 802.872.9855

#### Re/Max North

875 Roosevelt Hwy 802.655.3333

#### Teeson Real Estate

72 Porters Point Ct. 802.862.6111

#### **Home Bridge Financial Services**

302 Mountain View Dr. #301 802.846.4646

#### Vermont Title Examination & **Closing Service**

567 Main St. 802.879.0440

#### Wiemann-Lamphere Architects

525 Hercules Dr. # 2 802.655.5020

#### INSURANCE

#### **Coburn Insurance Agency**

336 Water Tower Circle #100 802.654.4500

#### **Landry Insurance**

1241 Prim Rd. #101 802.862.5775

#### **Kent Booream Insurance Agency** State Farm Insurance

85 Prim Rd. #201 802.862.5880

#### Sudha G. Parikh Insurance Agency

875 Roosevelt Hwy #122 802.654.7161

# Communications | Utilities

# |Trash | Social Services | Shipping

COMMUNICATIONS   MEDIA	UTILITIES
The Colchester Sun Newspaper 802.878.5282	Dig Safe
002.070.3202	811 or 888.344.7233
Comcast Cable	
800.266.2278	Green Mountain Power 888.835.4672
Fairpoint Communications	888.835.4072
888.797.7842	Vermont Gas Systems
LCATV Channels 16   17	802.863.4511
802.862.5724	
OF Triple V Padia	TRASH/RECYCLING SERVICES
<b>95 Triple X Radio</b> 802.655.9550	Casella Waste Systems
	802.735.1633
<b>VT Public Radio</b> 802.655.9451	Children de la Califal Manda Biandar
002.033.3431	Chittenden Solid Waste District 802.872.8111
VT Public Television	002.072.0111
802.655.4800	Myers Container Service 802.655.4312
WPTZ Channel 5	802.655.4312
802.655.5455	SHIPPING
WVNY Channel 22	
802.859.1300	US Post Office
	275 Malletts Bay Ave
SOCIAL SERVICES	802.655.1376
Champlain Community Services	Bayside Pack and Ship

**Colchester Food Shelf** 

802.655.0511 | 24 hr. 866.331.7735

802.879.2444

512 Troy Ave. #1

794 West Lakeshore Dr.

802.448.3561

# Volunteer Opportunities in the Town of Colchester

Volunteers are a crucial aspect of many Vermont organizations, and the Town of Colchester's municipal government is no exception. Volunteers supplement the work of full and part-time staff. They coach in recreation programs, shelve books at the library, and provide guidance and expertise by serving on numerous boards and committees. They are instrumental in keeping us safe by serving as rescue and fire personnel. Those of us who work for the Town of Colchester are grateful to the many people who choose to share their time and energy with the rest of the community.

There are also **elected volunteer** positions available, including the members of the Selectboard, School Board, Cemetery Commission, Library Board of Trustees, the Moderator (at the annual Town Meeting), Justices of the Peace and Listers. For more information on elected positions call the Town Clerk's Office at 802.264.5520

#### APPOINTED BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

The members of these Boards and Committees are appointed by the Selectboard. Applications for volunteering are available on the Town website at www.colchestervt.gov.

#### **Board of Ethics**

There are no regular meetings for this board, but it does meet occasionally when an ethics-related issue comes up.

#### **Community Center Initiative**

The purpose of the Colchester Community Center Initiative is to enhance the quality of life for Colchester residents and their families by constructing and maintaining a community center to meet their social, recreational, health, and intellectual needs.

# Volunteer Opportunities in the Town of Colchester

#### **Conservation Commission**

Commissioners participate in a variety of activities, such as rain barrel workshops, establishment and maintenance of flower beds and rain gardens, Green Up Day, and the Fall Leaf Drop-off, among others.

It meets on the third Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Bayside Activity Center, located at 36 Blakely Road. On warm weather evenings, the commission may walk Colchester properties in lieu of meeting at the Activity Center.

#### **Development Review Board**

The Colchester Development Review Board is charged with processing site plans, subdivisions, conditional use applications and variance requests and appeals of the zoning administrator's determinations. It meets on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Colchester Meeting House, 830 Main Street.

#### **Energy Task Force**

Members of the task force assist in developing an energy plan for the Town. This energy plan addresses Colchester's energy use and resources and proposes policies and actions to meet future demands. There are no terms of service; community members can join on a per-project basis or on an ongoing basis, as they would like. For more information please contact Sue Deppe at deppe@together.net or 802.658.7441.

#### **Governance Committee**

The committee works within the Heritage Project guidelines to research potential improvements to the Town Charter and municipal governance in general. It meets on the second and fourth Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Kirker Room at the Colchester Police Department.

# Volunteer Opportunities in the Town of Colchester

#### **Planning Commission**

The Colchester Planning Commission is charged with overseeing revisions to the zoning regulations, undertaking planning studies, and updating the Town Plan. It meets on the first and third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Kirker Room at the Colchester Police Department.

#### **Recreation Advisory Board**

Members advise the Director of Parks and Recreation in the development and management of recreational facilities and programs to serve the citizens of Colchester. It meets on the second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 a.m. at the Colchester Town Offices.



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781 Blakely Rd.
Colchester, VT 05446
802.264.5500